

REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of the subject application are respectfully requested. Applicant thanks the Examiner for total consideration given the present application. Claims 1-5 and 7 were pending prior to the Office Action. Claims 8-11 have been added through this reply. No claims have been canceled through this reply. Therefore, claims 1-5 and 7-11 are pending. Claims 1-2, 4-5, and 7-10 are independent. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejected claims in light of the remarks presented herein, and earnestly seeks a timely allowance of all pending claims.

Preliminary Amendment

Applicant submits this Preliminary Amendment adding new dependent claim 11. The Examiner is respectfully requested to examine new dependent claim 11 along with claims 1-5 and 7-10. The Examiner should refer to the January 21, 2009 response for the Applicant's remarks on the allowability of claims 1-5 and 7-10. Therefore, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the claims in light of the remarks and amendments presented herein.

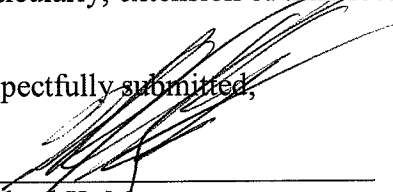
Conclusion

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Aslan Ettehadieh Reg. No. 62,278 at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37.C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.147; particularly, extension of time fees.

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Respectfully submitted,

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